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The entire galaxy is a mess. Warring empires and cosmic terrorists plague every corner. Someone has to rise above it all and fight for those who have no one to fight for them. **PETER QUILL**, a.k.a. **STAR-LORD**, **GAMORA**, the most dangerous woman in the universe, **DRAX THE DESTROYER**, **CAPTAIN MARVEL**, **VENOM**, **ROCKET RACCOON** and **GROOT** are the...

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## PREVIOUSLY...

With the battle for control of the Black Vortex now finished, things seem to have settled down a little bit for the Guardians. But with the end of chaos comes inevitable change.

For one, Peter Quill, a.k.a. Star-Lord, is now engaged to the newly cosmically-enhanced Kitty Pryde, who submitted to the Black Vortex to save the planet Spartax. With Peter's new fiancée in tow, one would think that all thoughts would be focused on the couple's upcoming nuptials. But in all the mess caused by the Black Vortex, Peter has conveniently forgotten about other recent events on his home planet of Spartax... like his election as their new president.

A reluctant Peter may have been convinced to take up the new title—which he never even asked for in the first place—had a planet not suddenly appeared in the sky above Spartax!

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UH-OH.



OKAY, UM, DELEGATES!

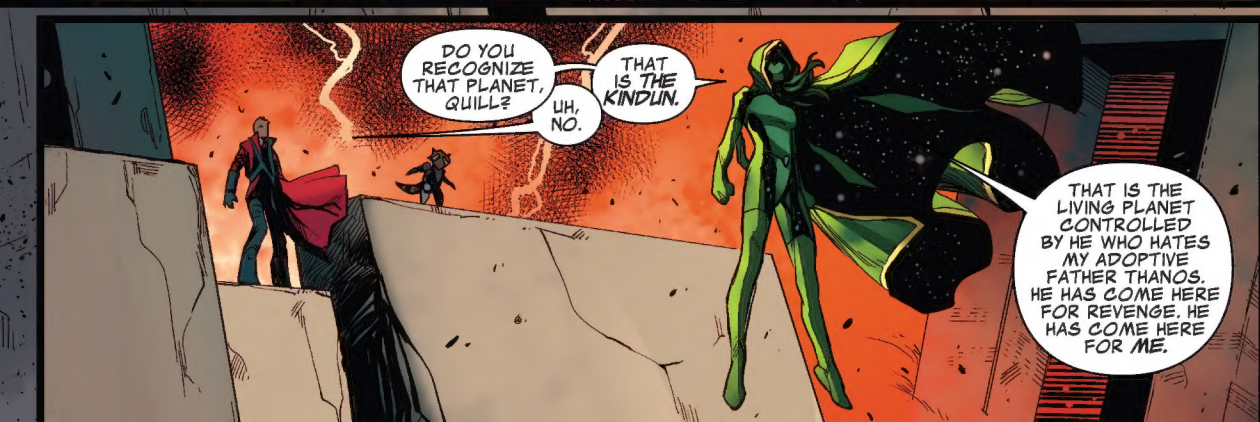
GET YOURSELVES AND THE REST OF THE ROYAL HOUSE TO A BUNKER OR SOMETHING!!

GET TO SAFETY!

DUDE, CAN WE HAVE ONE DAY OF NOT CRAZY?!

I DIDN'T DO THIS, ROCKET!

CRAZY FOLLOWS YOU, QUILL!



DO YOU RECOGNIZE THAT PLANET, QUILL?

UH, NO.

THAT IS THE KINDUN.

THAT IS THE LIVING PLANET CONTROLLED BY HE WHO HATES MY ADOPTIVE FATHER THANOS. HE HAS COME HERE FOR REVENGE. HE HAS COME HERE FOR ME.



OH, I REMEMBER THAT GUY.

WHAT A FLACKTUNE!

WHY IS HE HERE?!

WHAT DID YOU DO, HONEY?!

WASN'T ME, KITTY!!!

(THIS TIME...)



HE IS HERE BECAUSE THE IMAGES OF OUR SPARTAX ARRIVAL WERE BROADCAST ACROSS THE GALAXY.

HE IS HERE BECAUSE WE ARE HERE.

YOU BROUGHT THIS HERE!!!

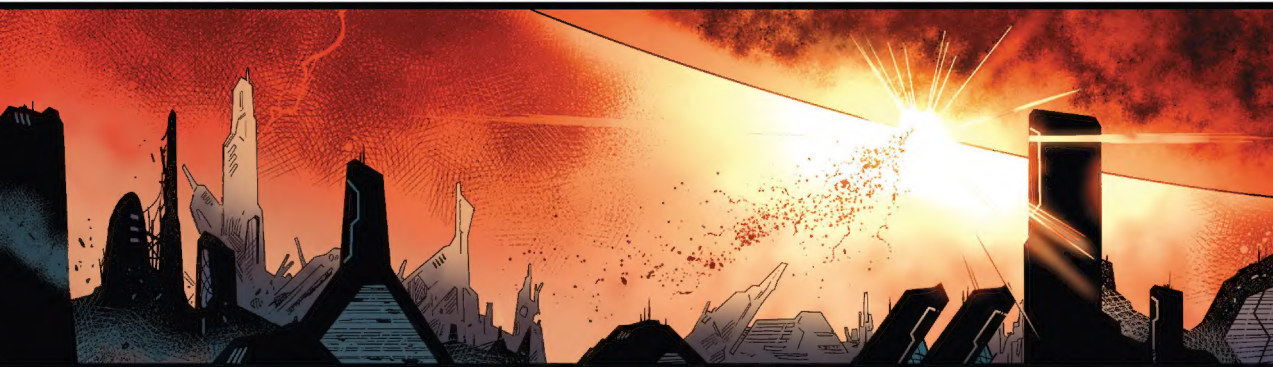
NO, DELEGATE TOGTH, I DID NOT DO THIS.

TECHNICALLY YOU BROUGHT ME HERE.



LOOK!









I WILL  
END THIS!!

GAMORA,  
YOU CAN'T  
TAKE ON A  
WHOLE  
PLANET!!



DRAX!!!  
WE  
NEED YOU,  
BUDDY.



I AM  
ENGAGING  
THE CHITAUURI  
WITH THE ROYAL  
SPARTAX  
GUARD!

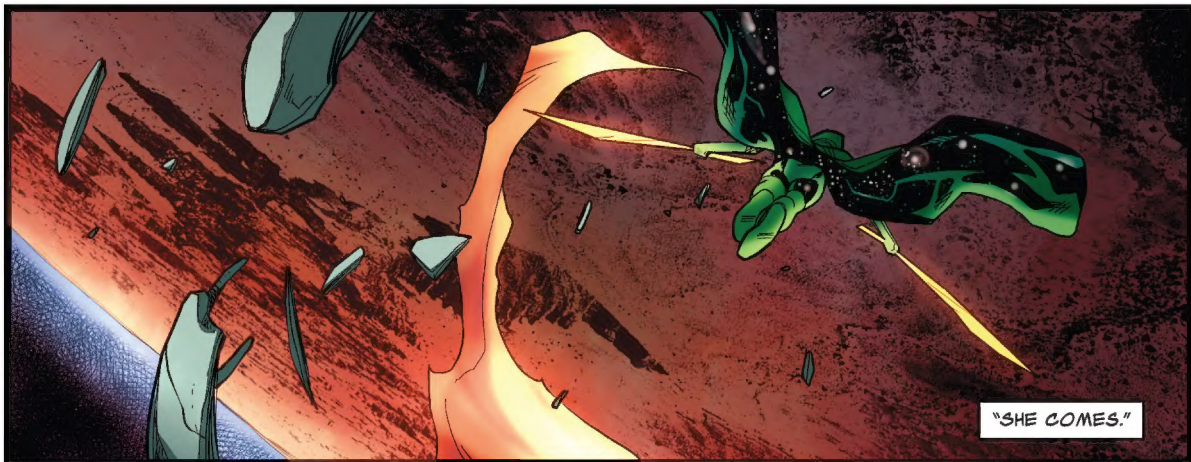
THEIR  
BLOOD WILL  
FILL THE  
STREETS OF  
SPARTAX!











"SHE COMES."





SHE IS INSIDE ME.  
NO MATTER WHAT SHE SAYS OR DOES, DO NOT LET UP YOUR ATTACK, CHITAUURI.

WAIT FOR IT.

I WANT TO SEE HER BURN AS SHE WATCHES SPARTAX BE RIPPED APART!

NOW!!

KINDUN!!!



SPARTAX ROYAL GARDENS.

I AM  
GROOT!

HEY, IT'S  
GROOT!

I TOLD  
YOU YOU'D  
GET USED TO  
THE WAY HE  
TALKS.

HAVE I  
TOLD YOU  
ALL LATELY  
THAT I HATE  
YOU?

THAT'S  
NOT NICE.

I SHOULD  
BE LIVING ON  
A BEACH ON THE  
GLACOS MOON  
SIPPING GLORIGIM  
OFF A TARNEK'S  
BACK!

EXCEPT  
HERE I  
AM!

THINK  
OF ALL THE--











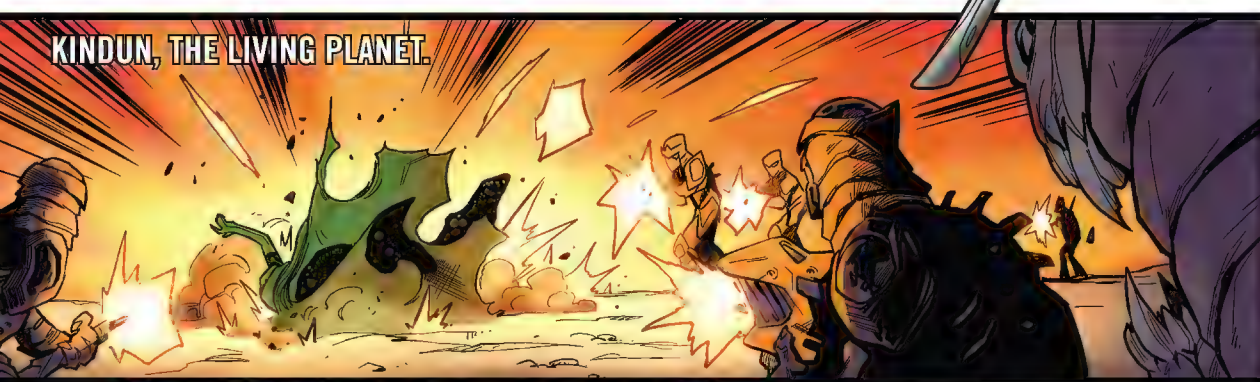
UH, HONEY, WE HAVE A PLAN HERE OR DO YOU NEED ME TO TAKE OVER OR--?

I CAN HANDLE A SUDDEN PLANETARY INVASION, DEAR!

JUST HERE TO HELP!

THEN FOLLOW ME.

I AM GROOT!



KINDUN, THE LIVING PLANET.



I WANT TO SHOW IT TO THANOS AS RECOMPENSE FOR WHAT HE HAS DONE TO US.



STOP.

IT IS OVER.

I WANT TO SEE HER DYING BREATH.







I WANT YOU  
TO LISTEN TO ME  
VERY CAREFULLY,  
KINDUN.

THE ONLY  
REASON I HAVEN'T  
CUT YOUR HEAD OFF  
IS BECAUSE YOUR  
ANGER TOWARDS ME,  
AND THIS FIGHT YOU  
INSIST ON, IS  
MISGUIDED.



I UNDERSTAND  
THAT YOU ARE ANGRY  
AT MY FATHER, THE MAD  
TITAN THANOS, BUT I AM  
NOT MY FATHER'S  
DAUGHTER.

IF I WAS,  
I WOULD NOT  
ALLOW YOU  
TO LIVE THIS  
DAY.



EVERYBODY  
WITHIN THE  
SOUND OF MY  
VOICE WOULD  
BE DEAD.

SO I'M  
GOING TO GIVE  
YOU ONE LAST  
CHANCE TO TAKE  
YOUR PLANET AND  
LEAVE HERE.

FREE  
YOURSELF OF  
THIS PAIN  
YOU HAVE  
TOWARDS  
ME.



FREE YOURSELF OF YOUR  
NEED FOR REVENGE ON  
ME FOR THE ACTIONS OF  
MY MAD FATHER.

FREE  
YOURSELF AND  
FIND A NEW  
REASON TO LIVE  
YOUR LIFE.

BECAUSE  
IF YOU CAN'T,  
THEN YOU WILL  
FORCE ME TO  
END YOUR  
LIFE.

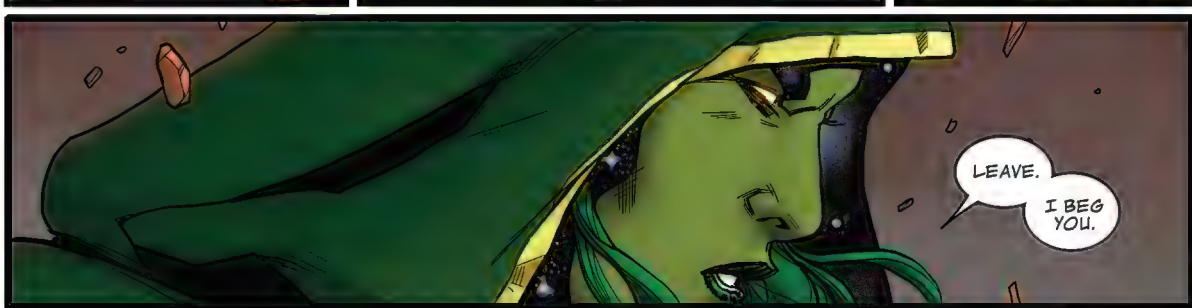


BUT IF  
THAT'S WHAT  
YOU WANT...

I'LL  
GRANT  
YOU YOUR  
LAST  
WISH.











AIR IS  
GONNA GET  
TIGHT!!!

HURRY!!!



IS IT  
ME OR IS  
IT GETTING  
FARTHER  
AWAY?!

I JUST  
THOUGHT I  
WAS GETTING  
TALLER!

(FINALLY.)



PETER!

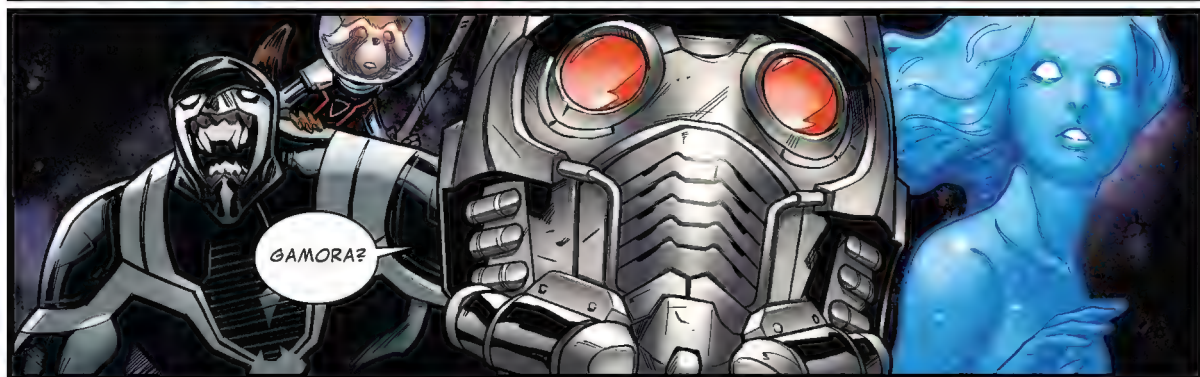
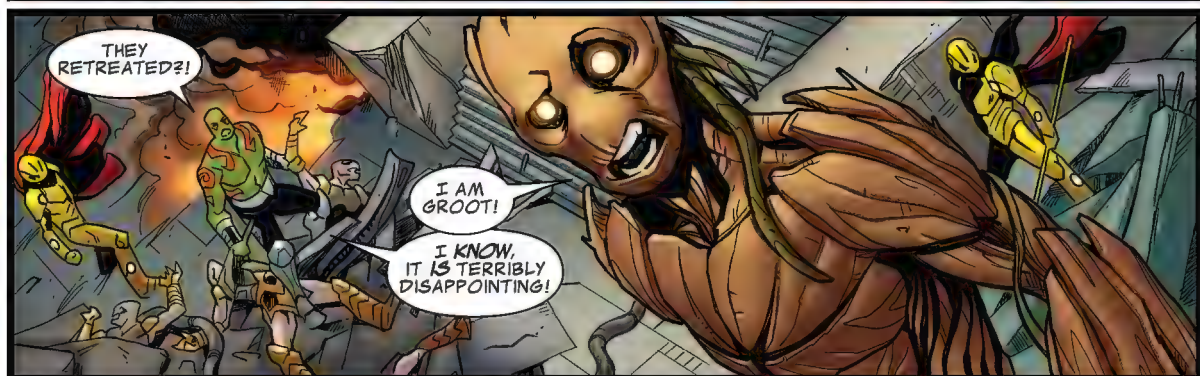
COMING  
UP BEHIND  
US!



BLAM!

MURDERED  
YOU THE  
MOST!









IT IS OVER.

WHAT DID YOU DO?



I TOLD HIM TO LEAVE.

WELL, HIGH FIVES FOR GAMORA, EVERYBODY.

THE MOST DANGEROUS WOMAN IN THE GALAXY JUST KICKED AN ENTIRE PLANET OFF OUR LAWN!

WHERE'S THE FUN IN THAT?!

I'M SORRY?

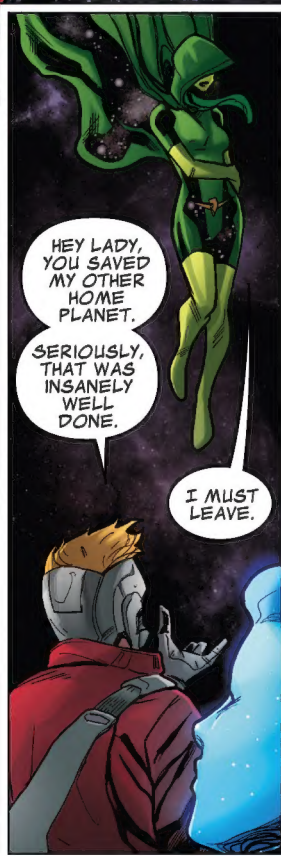


LET'S GO BLOW UP THAT PLANET OF FLARKNARDS!

RIGHT NOW!

OH, YOU CALM DOWN!

HOW ABOUT LET'S GO HELP EVERYONE DOWN THERE?



HEY LADY, YOU SAVED MY OTHER HOME PLANET.

SERIOUSLY, THAT WAS INSANELY WELL DONE.

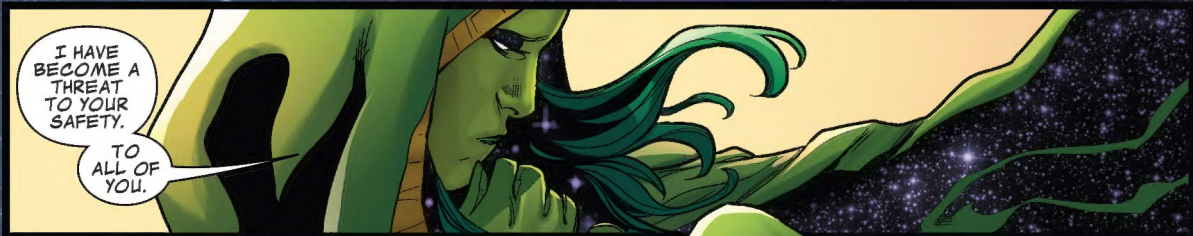
I MUST LEAVE.



WHAT?!

YOU HAVE TO PEE, OR--?





I HAVE  
BECOME A  
THREAT TO YOUR  
SAFETY.

TO  
ALL OF  
YOU.



NO, NO, NO...  
NO ONE BLAMES  
YOU FOR THIS.

WE'RE ALL  
A THREAT TO  
ALL OF OUR  
SAFETY.

IT'S  
KIND OF YOUR  
THING.



I NOW  
HAVE THE  
POWER TO FIND  
AND DESTROY  
THANOS AND  
UNTIL I DO, UNTIL  
THE GALAXY  
KNOWS THAT I  
HAVE DONE THIS  
ONCE AND  
FOR ALL...

I CANNOT  
LET WHAT  
ALMOST HAPPENED  
TODAY EVER  
HAPPEN AGAIN.

I CANNOT  
LET YOU BE  
ATTACKED FOR  
THE LEGACY I  
CARRY WITH  
ME.

PLEASE  
RELATE THIS  
TO DRAX AND  
GROOT.

I DO NOT  
BELIEVE I  
COULD LOOK  
RIGHT INTO  
GROOT'S EYES  
AND SAY THIS  
TO HIM.



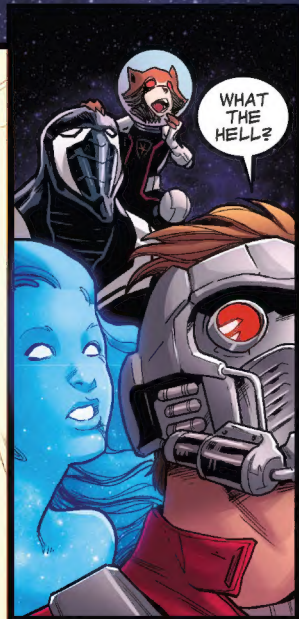
I LOVE  
YOU ALL TOO  
MUCH.

YOU HAVE  
NO IDEA HOW  
MUCH.



GAMORA!

NO...



WHAT  
THE  
HELL?



THE PLANET SPARTAX.

